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REQUEST	Application Number	09/674,249		
FOR	Confirmation Number	5228		
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)	Filing Date	October 2, 2001		
TRANSMITTAL	First Named Inventor	Nobuhiko TSUDA		
MAIL STOP RCE Commissioner for Patents RECEIVED	Group Art Unit	1711		
P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 OCT 2 8 2003	Examiner Name	Duc Truong		
Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, Terecti 170, May 29, 2000,	Matter Number	Q61520		
provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995		ONTAINING COPOLYMER CTIONAL GROUP		
This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.				
a. Previously submitted i. Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on iii. Other b. Enclosed i. Amendment/Reply ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) iv. Petition for Extension of Time v. Other				
 2. MISCELLANEOUS a. □ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months b. □ Other 3. FEES A éheck for the RCE statutory fee of \$770.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached. 				
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